RESIDENTS 4 RESILIENCE (R4R)

FLOOD EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS LIST

BE PREPARED BEFORE THE WATER RISES | PRINT, CHECK & KEEP HANDY

ESSENTIAL SUPPLIES

- Keep at least seven days of nonperishable food and household essentials.
- Store drinking water: at least one gallon per person per day for seven days.
- Charge phones and power banks; keep flashlights, batteries and a radio ready.
- Keep important documents and emergency supplies accessible.

HEALTH & NEIGHBORS

- Refill essential prescriptions early when possible; plan for necessary medical supplies.
- Arrange backup power or alternatives for electricity-dependent medical equipment.
- Contact your healthcare provider before postponing essential medical care.
- Check on older neighbors, people living alone, and those needing assistance.

TRAVEL, APPOINTMENTS & HOME SERVICES

- Work from home if possible; reschedule nonurgent appointments and deliveries.
- Do not rely on routine service visits during hazardous conditions: plan ahead and reschedule landscapers, housekeepers, contractors and maintenance.
- Move vehicles to higher ground before flooding; check closures and alternate routes.
- Never drive or walk through floodwaters. Follow official evacuation instructions.

PROTECT YOUR HOME & STAY INFORMED

- Clear accessible gutters and drains only when safe; report blocked public drains.
- Move valuables higher and secure outdoor items before flooding.
- Monitor weather alerts, flood warnings and city/county emergency notices.
- Know where to go if your home becomes unsafe; plan for pets and family members.

IMPORTANT CONTACTS (fill in before an emergency)

Emergency contact: _____ Phone: _____

Doctor / pharmacy: _____ Phone: _____

Local emergency alerts / shelter info: _____ _____

If you do not need to travel during dangerous flooding, stay home when safe to do so. Never delay evacuation when instructed by officials.

Official guidance: floridadisaster.org | ready.gov/floods | Local county emergency management

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